## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2005

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## HOUSE BILL 152

Short Title:Motorcycle Awareness Month.(Public)Sponsors:Representatives Hill; Church, Cleveland, Coates, Culp, Daughtridge,<br/>Faison, Folwell, Glazier, Moore, Pate, Rapp, Sauls, Setzer, Stiller,<br/>Williams, and Wray.Referred to:Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.February 9, 2005A BILL TO BE ENTITLEDAN ACT DESIGNATING MAY OF EACH YEAR AS MOTORCYCLE<br/>AWARENESS MONTH.

4 Whereas, motorcycle riding is a popular form of recreation and transportation 5 for thousands of people across the State and nation; and

6 Whereas, the safety of motorcycle riders should be of great concern to all 7 motor vehicle operators; and

8 Whereas, it is especially important that the citizens of our State be aware of 9 motorcycles on the streets and highways and recognize the importance of motorcycle 10 safety; and

11 Whereas, all motorcycle organizations, clubs, dealerships, groups, and 12 highway safety officials should join in actively promoting safe operation, increased 13 rider training, improved licensing efforts, and motorist awareness; and

Whereas, during May, all highway users should unite in the safe sharing of roadways throughout the State of North Carolina; Now, therefore,

16 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

17 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 103 of the General Statutes is amended by adding a 18 new section to read:

19 "<u>§ 103-11. Motorcycle Awareness Month.</u>

20 <u>The month of May of each year is designated as Motorcycle Awareness Month in</u>
21 <u>North Carolina.</u>"

**SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

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